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WHEAT

Cost of Producing U. S. Field Crops in 1932

The average cost of producing the 1932 corn crop, including land rent, was 49 cents a bushel. Wheat cost 36 cents; 75 cents a bushel costs 26¢ a bushel; and cotton 36¢ a pound of lint. Excluding land rent the costs were: corn, 36¢ per bushel; wheat, 65¢; oats, 36¢; cotton, 6.5¢ a pound.

These figures are based primarily upon results obtained by the cost of production questionnaire mailed to voluntary reporters located in the various states, and upon published results of state and federal agricultural bureaus for local areas. Each set of figures has been weighted by the acreage harvested in selected geographic areas.

These figures include charges for the labor of the farmer and his family, the charge for the use of his land, and a charge for the services of his wife. These must therefore be interpreted as representing approximately the price the farmer must receive if he is to be paid for his time at going wages and for the use of his investment at going rentals. Net income must be made available to cover out-of-pocket or actual cash costs. This distinction is essential to an understanding of the reasons why a farmer may continue to produce for market when the costs of production computed are higher than the price he receives for his products. It is generally understood that out-of-pocket costs are considerably less than the total costs arrived at on the basis of the figures above, or on the basis of any other accepted method of calculating costs.

Wheat costs, including rent, average 47.8¢ per acre in the group of states composed of Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Texas, and Oklahoma, compared with \$1.00 in the north-central group of states. The cost for all states being \$9.3¢. In the great plains, western and eastern wheat belt states, net cost per acre is \$1.27. The highest cost reported for the southeastern states is \$1.27 per bushel, was reported for the southwestern states. Of the total gross cost per acre, labor and power made up to 44 per cent; fertilizers and seed, 32 per cent; land rent, 26 per cent; and miscellaneous items, 16 per cent.

U. S. Grain Situation

The government crop report as of July 1 was a sensible document, setting out the facts to date of grain and feed crops. The figure for spring wheat was only 160,000,000 bushels, or 100 million below a normal crop. This represents a partial crop fallure in both sections of the wheat belt since the winter crop is only 350,000,000 bushels and the estimated bushels is the smallest since 1883. Moreover, the weather has continued unfavorable.

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TENNIS STARS TO PLAY IN CARBON

Rounds Match to be Played on the Carbon Courts Next Sunday—Nine Matches in All

Members of the Bassano tennis club will play a round robin match with Carbon tennis players Saturday, Aug. 26, on the Carbon courts.

It will be an inter-club tournament of nine matches, played according to official rules.

Carbon tennis stars defeated Bassano in a recent match. Last tournament played here Aug. 6. The local racquet wielders have been looking forward to the return match and hope to even the score with the northern club.

The Bassano team will consist of two men's singles, two men's doubles, one ladies' singles, one mixed double, one junior men's singles and one junior ladies' singles.

Matches will be selected from the following players: L. Leonard, J. Donaldson, M. A. Hayes, R. Angel, Wm. McLaw, Eddie Angel, Archie Johnston, Goo. Stiles; Misses Florence Playfair, Phyllis Plumer, Dorothy Flanagan, Jessie Haworth, and White Bradley.

CIRCUIT SHOWS

P. Uherino, local theatre man, has announced that the circuit show that operated recently in the town will be showing once a week in Arrowwood, Queenstown, Brooks, and twice a week in Bassano.

Mr. Uherino is using portable theatres for outside points, giving all kinds of amateur programs. He is showing all new pictures, and has booked many for the best screen features of the year.

HOLMES GETS GEM SCHOOL CONTRACT

H. A. Holmes has the contract to build a one room addition to the Gem consolidated school. Other improvements and some decorative work to the same building are to be done in the near future.

Mr. Holmes and his assistants are working hard.

The juvenile population of the town has increased greatly since the arrival of many new Manitoba settlers during the couple of years. The present school building is not large enough to accommodate all the school children.

PRairie FIRE

A prairie fire last Thursday, Aug. 10, burned four or five sections of good pasture on the McKinnon lease south of Bassano. Sgt. J. N. McLean, of Pollockville, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gellings and Richard and Harry Ankrum left last week for a trip to Hardisty and other points.

Jakey Bulmer, the Bearcat's star pitcher, buried nice ball in both games for Duchess on Wednesday. Lloyd Leonard, the Bearcat's second and sacker, held down that position for Rosemary in the tournament.

ROSEMARY NEWS

ROSEMARY, Aug. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norton left Sunday morning for Idaho Falls. Mr. Norton recovered word that his mother was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Miles of Pollockville, spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Eastman.

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Mr. Gross of Letbridge, held services at the L.D.S. Hall Sunday. Miss Marjorie Brundrit spent last week with Miss Agatha Gellings.

Most of the Rosemary baseball fans attended the game in Brooks Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Norton entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Eastman and family to dinner on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Narum spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Narum.

Mr. and Mrs. Crankston, who have been visiting here with Wm. Wilson, returned home last week.

Alvin Narum is expected home with health next week.

L. E. Notes

The August 10 issue of the Rosemary W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. McFate on Aug. 3. The roll call, which was answered by a negro joke, showed an attendance of 13 members and five visitors.

A vote of thanks was moved to everyone who helped in any way with the convention. It was decided to have a community picnic in Narum's grove on Aug. 26. Games, races, a short program, and lunch will be enjoyed. Come and chat with your neighbors.

Mr. Adair wrote a very interesting article on "Letter Writing," stressing the fact that a letter worth writing is worth writing well.

After an adjournment lunch was served to the members by Mrs. Hale and Marjorie Brundrit.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Park on Sept. 7.

It's tough when your wife finds a letter in your pocket you forgot to mail, but man, when she finds one you forgot to burn!

GEM NEWS

GEM, Aug. 17—Work of building the new addition to the G. maschol has commenced. H. A. Holmes, of Bassano, has the contract.

Several families in the colony enjoy a picnic at the river on Sunday.

Harry Bowman, formerly of Gouin, now of Peace River, is visiting friends here. He speaks well of the north country.

Mr. McLeod and brother, T. Leidner, are entertaining friends from the States.

Mr. Lawrie, Sr. left on Thursday for the north where with Mrs. Lawrie he will visit in Innisfail and district.

The Sunday evening concert put on under the auspices of the Sunday school choir was thoroughly enjoyed by a large crowd attending. A choir of 26 rendered several very enjoyable numbers.

The bladers are busy in the wheel fields of Gem. Crops are not turning out as well as expected.

Rosemary Wins Duchess Tournament

The Rosemary ball team won their third tournament of the season when they defeated Duchess 8-7 in the final game at Duchess Wednesday afternoon this week, Aug. 16.

Four teams played in the Duchess tournament, Rainier, Bassano, Rosemary, and Duchess.

Rosemary won from Brooks 9-7 in the first draw, while Duchess defeated Rainier 7-8. The final game was cut short by approaching darkness. The game went to six innings with the score tied at 7-7. The final end of the game was a 9-8 score.

The Ramblers, who have been hitting a fast clip all season, finished at the top of the league schedule and won the Patricia, Duchess, and Rosemary tournaments.

Hannigan is in full swing in the Crosscut. Misses Haworth, Jessie, and other districts. No reports of the yields have come in yet, but it is not likely they will be over twelve bushels to the acre, and most of them much less.

Harvesting started in the irrigation block. There are some nice fields of irrigated wheat, but the yield per bushel will probably be only 20 bushels to the acre.

GOOD GRADE OF WHEAT THIS YEAR

All Deliveries at Local Elevators Grade No. 1 Northern—Cutting is Now About 30 per cent Done

The 1933 wheat crop is grading up well. Todat salt deliveries made to Bassano elevators have grades Nos. 1, Northern. The kernels are not large, but a nice color and the grain weighs 60 lbs. to the bushel or a little more.

Favored with ideal harvesting conditions, farmers are making rapid progress with the cutting of the 1933 crop. Except for a little rain early this week there have been a othe-wise dry spell.

It is estimated cutting is now approximately 30 per cent completed in the neighborhood of Bassano.

The actual yield from harvested land is about 20 bushels to the acre, and the best crop are threshing out to about seven bushels to the acre. The average for the district will be about four per bushel.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brown, with Ruth and Emerson, and Gordon Reeves, motored to Calgary on Wednesday, and Gordon and Emerson remained with Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Reeves there.

L. W. Woodford motored to Bassano on Saturday on his hand, which was being treated for a sprain.

Harvesting began on the farm of W. D. Moffat on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lawson, J. Bell, E. Johnson and W. A. Tracy and Billy and Jimmy were among those who attended the stampede at Carbon on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Armstrong.

In the afternoon, in east-south-east and west of Bassano, the last of the week. The first load of grain was hauled in from the Springfield farm on Friday, and graded No. 1 Northern. Both of the farms are harvesting wheat at the same time, the wheat is dry. Many acres are ripe and standing, in the yellow, gold expanse awaiting the harvesters. The yield is light, but much better than that expected to hope for after the continual dry weather.

June 4, broken only by a few showers. Everything is held up today, as there was a heavy thunderstorm Monday morning, following a heavy rain Saturday evening. Three quarters of an inch of moisture fell on the village, but less east and north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Sandgathe, of Wardlow, and Miss Sheila Donaghy, of Calgary, were guests at the home of E. J. Bell on their way to Calgary on Saturday.

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It is a nice place of road on the main highway running north of Bassano. In fact it's so nice and smooth that motorists approaching from the north slow down very little when entering town, and many of them stop to have a late intersection at the team courts going at 40 miles an hour. It is a dangerous intersection, with houses and trees right up to the corner. There have been no accidents there yet, but a speed limit sign placed two or three blocks north might lesson the danger.

PEGGED FUTURES

The action of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange has had a far-reaching effect which will affect futures sales, could be transacted was followed next day by abandonment of this scheme on the Chicago grain market. The minimum price fixing scheme was adopted in Chicago a couple of weeks ago. At present, however, it has not been adopted, after the grain traders found it wouldn't work. The scheme on the Winnipeg exchange was adopted "until further notice." It isn't likely to last long.

FIGHTING THE GOPHERS

The gopher did a great amount of damage to wheat fields in the Bassano district this year. The little rodent ate its way through greater numbers than ever before and arrived in the prairie ground t' orange the growing wheat crop.

It is generally recognized that the large number of gophers is due to the winter trapping of the gophers during the past two winters. Every weasel kills hundreds of gophers and if left unmolested, the weasels will keep the gopher pest in check. The Mail wishes to again mention a suggestion made in our columns a few weeks ago. Trapping of the weasel should be prohibited in the gopher infested areas for a few years.

This will give the weasel a chance to increase in numbers and this in turn will help control the gophers.

The value of a few weasel pelts is small compared to the amount of damage done to swarms of gophers. The weasel is an ally of the farmer and should be given protection. He may occasionally raid a chicken coop, but these marauders can be disposed of.

MAN WITH THE HOE

By Edwin Markham
Bowed to the weight of centuries
he leans,

Upon his hoe, and gazes on the
ground.
The emptiness of ages in his face,
And on his back the burden of the
world.

Whom made him deo dura tupto and
despair,
A thing that grieves not and that
never hopes.

Stolid and stunned, a brother to the
ox?

Who made him deo dura tupto and
despair,
Whose hand was the hand that slanted
back this braw?

Whose breath blew out the light
within his brain?

O man, lords, an druers in all
lands.

How will the future reckon with
this man?

How answer his brute question in
that hour?

When whirlwinds of rebellion shake
the world?

How will it be with kingdoms and
with kings?

With those who shaped him to the
thing he is—

When this dumb terror shall reply
to God?

After the silence of the centuries?

She Wouldn't Need These

English Passenger—Porter, two of
my passengers are English.

Porter—Yes, lady. But don't
you worry your head about them—
this ain't a dressy place.

This story comes from Engeland.
Simpson had been a habanista for
20 years, but fell from the ways of
grace.

Feeling the need of recompence,
he sent his boy for a bottle of
whiskey.

"What's it for?" asked the hotel proprietor.

"For father," said the boy.

"Nonsense! Your father's been
a tax collector for longer years than
you've lived."

"Well, at all events, he sent me
for it."

"What does he want it for?"

"To let you into a secret," said
the boy. "He's going fishing, and
he wants to use the cork for a float."

Almost \$2,000,000,000 worth of food
is imported by England every year.

NO SPECTACULAR PLAN OF RECOVERY IN CONTROVERSY
OTTAWA, Aug. 16.—The Canadian government has been seeking "national recovery" along many channels, none of them so spectacular as the national recovery plan now in force in the United States and which can be learned nothing about it in the press. It is believed necessary at the present time.

Cabinet council this afternoon discussed quoted statements of the prime minister, and of Premier Hebert, of their plan, using a similar scheme upon Canada, but no action was taken or proposed. It was learned tonight.

If the N.R.A. proves successful in that country, the Dominion will not be far behind. The members of the N.R.A. with the greatest interest and with open minds to its feasibility.

WHAT FUTURES PEGGED AT MINIMUM IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Aug. 15.—Members of the Winnipeg Grain Exchange in a emergency session decided to establish minimum prices for grain futures and thereby peg the prices of wheat and coarse grains.

The exchange set closing prices of Montreal wheat at \$1.10 per bushel, which future prices would be pegged "until further notice." Prices unable to go any lower, turned in the opposite direction and registered sharp gains as the exchange opened at 3 a.m., half an hour later than usual.

The action of the members was taken as a result of abnormal conditions surrounding other markets." It was stated.

October future wheat closed yesterday at \$1.15; December ended at \$1.17; January at \$1.18; May at \$1.34.

Until further notice no trade in grains for future delivery shall be made below these minimum prices.

PUBLIC DEBT IN ALBERTA IS REDUCED

EDMONTON, Aug. 15.—Some progress toward getting Alberta out of debt is indicated in the first quarterly statement of government receipts and payments for the present fiscal year.

A public debt of \$4,371,456 in the public debt of the province has been reduced, leaving the net funded and unfunded debt, as at June 30, \$14,237,272.

Interest payments from the railways made possible this substantial cut in the provincial liabilities.

The financial statement, issued by Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer, on Tuesday, covers the three months from April to June, and represents an analysis of the public accounts by James C. Thompson, provincial auditor.

Having reference wholly to the operations of the first quarter of the year, the interim significance of the statement and other data that will follow during the year will be pointed out, give a more complete picture.

UNITED STATES MAY SUBSIDIZE EXPORT WHEAT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Secretary of Agriculture Wallace said on Tuesday the United States was prepared to accept "any reasonable plan for European co-operation" in production "which is satisfactory to Canada, Australia, and Argentina."

Wallace made his statement at a press conference after receiving a report from Henry Mengenhan Br. American director of the London office, recommending to the Board of Trade an early start of negotiations in London on Aug. 21.

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ELINORE BARRY

FIFTEENTH INSTALMENT

"Forget it! While Claud Alfred's away I do as I damn please in the manner of a woman. I don't care what too, you see. There isn't much else that's more tempting to do out here so far off quite a bit such twenty-four hours just whenever I feel like it. No particular hurry, either."

She descended from Rustie just as Neil drove his car into the garage. When he joined her and they turned toward the house together, he said: "Seen out long, Friday?" "Why, no, I didn't do much as I was alone and I had my lunch at home going farther and farther."

"I was sort of hoping you'd feel like a ride with me—but—"

"Oh, I'm sorry, Neil, but I really am tired. I went pretty fast."

"Well, I'll go to town tonite," said Neil, "he's leaving in a couple of weeks now, he said today. Got most of his plans all made. I'll . . . I'll miss old Paul!"

Joyce bit her lip, framed as she tried to decide what to say.

"—What's going on over at Paul's, Neil? I'm going to be so sleepy from my long ride that I'd yawn my head off, I know, and that would be so annoying to Paul," she said finally.

Neil grumbled. "Well, I never did care much for it myself. Sure, you can do whatever you like about it. If . . . if I drove the Dusenbergs up

to the city today, do you think I could make the exchange right off without too much red tape?"

"Oh, yes, I don't believe you'd have any trouble. How about running up and taking a drive with me and driving back tomorrow. I've got a little business to see to in the city and I'd like to drive with you," suggested Neil.

Joyce looked inwardly; she did not want to go in a show. She had looked toward the drive alone, a chance to dream uninterrupted.

But after all she owed Neil a debt that seemed to grow greater in proportion to the time he had held her in his arms.

"All right," she said.

To her disappointment Joyce found that she would have to wait a couple of days in order to obtain the car she wanted. And when that night Robert and Clancy Bassano, Neil suggested they staying up in San Francisco a second night and making a party to go to the theatre together.

The following day they started back to town, the car having been repaired. They were in the new roadster, a beautiful car but entirely unlike the "Buster Egg" for its mirror-like enamel surface was a deep blue, almost black.

Finally, however, he released her abruptly. Joyce, as weak she had to lean against the bookshelf to keep from falling, followed him through the dark walk to the door and stand there with his back to her. She could not speak. It seemed to her that they stood thus for an eternity.

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The beautiful Bellinda departed in prud' wrath and leave the poor insulting worm to live on only the memory of her own daring dead or . . .". Leaving his sentence unfinished, he took a cigarette

from his pocket and lit it. Joyce watched, saw his hand shake as he held the match to the tip.

When Joyce arrived at the shack she found Alansworth engaged in giving his horse a thorough currying. He stopped and came to welcome her, smiling and displaying a manner satisfactory to Joyce.

A small stick had been thrown for Dickie until the little dog was weary and panting, Robert and Joyce talked. As was usual, the world dropped for Joyce afar away from this tiny place.

Then, the end of the afternoon, they happened to be inside the house for a moment, standing in front of the bookshelf while Alansworth hunted for a volume of poems which he had mentioned and from which he had taken a few lines.

Joyce watched him as he bent over the bookcase, his eyes running swiftly over the titles along the shelves. Her heart filled with sudden pain. She loved him! She adored him!

This feeling of love was the first that she had known, for which she had dreamt about, for which she had wistfully yearned as a young girl.

Instinctively, she recognized it. Was it speaking, but she hardly heard what he said.

"Oh, damn the luck! I must leave it in the city last time. I'll get it when I go up next week if I can remember to . . . I want to read you the one on the Eucalyptus Grove."

You'll like it . . . it's a poem." Joyce looked up into his face silently. His expression changed abruptly. Suddenly he put his hands on her shoulders. "Why don't you bring your aunt along as chaperone?" he demanded. He was smiling, but his smile was faint and his voice shook. "You . . . you expect me to stay impersonal much longer, you know," he continued, now very softly. "Not while you're so . . . while you're such a sweet child! I . . . I can't keep your hands off you, you lovely, adorable . . . beautiful." Very gently

he folded himself with his smart definition that he's self-sufficient, that the lid is on good and tight—until suddenly along comes a girl, and just an ordinary girl, you know, Dickie, but one with sweetness and beauty and intelligence, one who is just as good joy as he is. And then, then, then, but everything is off!"

A chill descended on Joyce. She felt a vast sickness fear settle down unmercifully over her. What had he said? What had he done? What had he done? What had he done?

What had he done? A flame of his humiliation burned Joyce with intolerable pain. She must get away quickly and hide herself from him.

She stood up and tried to speak again in an ordinary voice. "I think, Dickie, it's time for us to go."

Alansworth jumped to his feet, dropping Dickie unceremoniously, and came to her. "Look here, Joyce! Don't you know I've been holding you off since the first. Hardly, almost in playful earnest; but again and again, and each time a little harder, a little more intensely—until finally, his mouth crushed down on hers and it was as though she lifted out of herself and had lost her identity.

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The thought which pushed all others into the background—as they approached Manzanita.

Impatient was she to see Alansworth again that it was not yet noon the next day when she arrived

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per pkg. 10c

COFFEE, Star Special,
4 lbs. for 1.00

TEA, Broken Orange
Pellets per lb 50c

ROYAL CHEF PASTRY
FLOUR, 10 lb sack 55c

BAKING POWDER, Blue
Ribbon, 3 lb. tin 75c

P & G LAUNDRY SOAP,
11 bars for 49c

SELECT SODA BISCUITS,
L.B.C., per box 90c

SANITARY FLY SPRAY,
75c tin for 60c

FLY HANGERS, the very
best per doz. 25c

**FRUITS AND
VEGETABLES**

ORANGES, 3 doz. for \$1.00

BANANAS, golden, 2 lb 25

TOMATOES, field, B. C.,
per basket 35c

Cantelope, Watermelon, Plums,
Golden Bananas, Cucumbers,
Green Peppers

**JAMES
JOHNSTON**
The Quality
Store

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

WINFIELD GILLICK, late of the
Post Office in Huston in Jasper Park.
Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that all
persons having claims on the Estate
of the above-named, WINFIELD
GILLICK, who died on the 7th day
of February, 1933, are required to file
with the undersigned Administrator
of his Estate by the 24th day
of September, 1933, a full statement
of the value of their claim, and
that after that date the Administrator
will distribute the assets of the
deceased among the parties enti-
tled thereto, having regard only to
the claims of record filed before
the date of the filing of the notice
as filed or brought to his knowledge.

Dated this 11th day of August, 1933.

The Toronto General Trusts
Corporation.

Calgary, Alberta.

LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. A. G. Scott and son George
are holidaying at Jasper Park.

Mrs. Marie Gronberg left on Wed-
nesday for Carcross.

Mrs. W. S. Weir and sons returned
from Empress, Saturday afternoon, accom-
panied by Mrs. W. F. Keith and son.

The annual flower service will be
held in Knox Church next Sunday
at 11 a.m. There will also be baptismal
services.

The local government liquor store,

Mr. and Mrs. S. Leonard and
daughter Freda returned home last
Friday evening from Vancouver, where they spent a couple of weeks' vacation.

Miss Myrtle McCullough, who
has been spending the past few weeks
with Miss Gwen Stiles, returned
home to Lacombe the past weekend.

Mrs. T. Galloway, of Medicine Hat
spent last week visiting with friends
in Bassano.

The staff of the Alberta Govern-
ment Telephone is back to normal
again after the recent vacation.

Mrs. M. Ettell spent her holidays at
Seattle, Miss J. Yale at Banff, and
Miss J. Wallace at Calgary. Miss
C. Wright was relief operator.

Anglian services next Sunday, Aug. 20; Holy Communion 8 a.m.;
Holy Communion 10 a.m.; Evensong 11
a.m. Rev. F. R. Gibney of the
Sarco Reserve, will be in charge.

A daughter was born to Mr. and
Mrs. J. T. Sooper, of Baker Lake, on
Aug. 13, at the Bassano Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Ohman, of Scandia, on Aug. 14
at the local hospital.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Roy Robson, of Dorothy, is
a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. Margaret Farquharson, of
Calgary, is a patient in the hospital.
She had an attack of pneumonia
and is now coming along fine.

Mrs. Robert S. Wright is in the
hospital following an operation for ap-
pendicitis on Wednesday. She is
reported to be progressing nicely.

E. Merriman, of Makopace, is
in the hospital with an attack of the
flu.

Mrs. F. E. Torkelson, of Duchess,
is a patient in the hospital.

INQUIRIES POSTPONED

The inquest into the death of A.
E. Coulter, of Lethbridge, has been
postponed indefinitely. The coroner's
jury is awaiting the recovery of Jake
Sturm, Brook struck operator,
who is now in the Medicine Hat
Hospital.

Comper died from injuries re-
ceived Aug. 7 when he was riding
in the truck driven by Sturm. The
vehicle crashed into the irrigation
canal bridge half a mile east of
Bassano.

DISCUSSION WOOLLEN INDUSTRY

FOR ALBERTA PROVINCE:

Negotiations for the establishment
of a woollen spinning, weaving and
spinning industry in Alberta are un-
der way, as representatives of
the Canadian Wool Council
Limited spent the greater part of
Wednesday afternoon in conference
with Howard Stutchbury, provincial
trade commissioner, discussing the
subject in Calgary.

NOT AN UNION MAN

"Two dollars an hour for painting
my car, and you a painter out of a
job? Why, I wouldn't give Michel
Angelo \$2 an hour in times like
these!"

"Well, mister, I don't know who
this Mike fellow is, but if he paints
at less than \$2 an hour, he
doesn't belong to a union."

Teacher: "Eric, how many ribs
have you?"

Eric: "I don't know much, I'm
so ticklish I can never count 'em."

According to a doctor, singing
warms the blood. We have heard
some that has made our positively
bold.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. P. C. McGregor, Minister.

"The Church Where Everybody
Feels at Home."

Sunday, August 20, 1933

11 a.m.—Annual Flower Service.

Children are invited to bring flowers.

Altar Bannister Service.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship, sub-
ject, "Work, Music, and Flowers."

Everybody welcome

MEN'S WEAR -- We Advise You

To utilize all your purchasing power right now. Prices on almost every commodity are
advancing rapidly. We will sell our present stocks at the old figure, and we would ask
you to take advantage of this saving opportunity.

Save from 10 per cent to 35 per cent on the goods listed here

SPECIAL BARGAIN - FIVE DOZEN ONLY**MEN'S DRESS SOCKS**

Holeproof quality, in fine soft wool cashmere
and cotton, various patterns; fancy checks, clox,
and stripes. All goods regular price, 15c.
very special - 3 pairs for \$1.00

MEN'S SMOKE ELK WORK SHOES

Labeled "Man's Best Everyday Shoe". Made
from strong leather, with wide toe, soles
strongly stitched and nailed, leather heel; a most
desirable shoe that will give every satisfaction.
Today's value is \$4.50 a pair;
our special price - \$3.75 a pr.

MEN'S WORK GLOVES

of finest quality. These were bought by us months ago, before the ad-
vance in price took effect.

Men's Warranted Horsehide Gloves

Roper style; today's value \$1.20 a pair;

our price - 95c a pair

Men's Gauntlet Gloves

Real horsehide; today's value \$1.00 a pair;

our price - 85c a pair

Men's Deerskin Gloves

Soft, pliable, and will give long and satisfactory wear (today's value
\$1.75 a pair);

our price - \$1.45 a pair

MEN'S PANT and BIB OVERALLS

The famous "Range Rider" pants and "Master Mechanic" bib overalls.
These are made from the finest denim and perfectly
cut, with copper riveted belt and pockets; today's value, pants \$2.25;

our price - \$1.95 a pair

our price - \$2.25 a pair

SPECIAL BARGAIN, Men's Rayon B.V.D.s.
In fine quality white rayon. The left-overs in this line are offered at
big reductions in price. Sizes in stock, 36, 38, 40. Regular price \$1.25;
special - 85c a suit

**Ladies' Wear Department
Specials for the Week-end****WABASSO BEST QUALITY FLORAL CHECK
and STRIPE BROADCLOTH**

For dresses, overalls, etc. Guaranteed to wash and wear well; 36 inches wide.
Regular 35c per yard.

special - 27c per yard

WABASSO PLAIN BROADCLOTH

A utility material that serves many purposes. Comes in twelve most wanted
colors. Sunfast and tubfast; 36 inches wide; reg. 35c per yard.

special - 17c per yard

LADIES' HOUSE DRESSES

In floral prints and checkers, spot limes and chequers. The remainder
of the season's stock will be offered at big reductions to clear.

reg. \$2.95

reg. \$1.95

reg. \$1.50

special at \$2.25

special at \$1.50

special at \$1.15

special - 49c a pair

WABASSO MESH CLOTH

A good looking, servicable silk hose that will give lots of wear. Comes in all
the most favored colors; size 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/2.

special - 27c per yard

GROCERY SPECIALS

for Saturday, August 16th
and Monday, August 21st

FLOUR, A. G. brand; the finest flour you can buy

98 lb sack 2.85

24 lb sack 85c

6 lb Cake or Pastry Flour 27c

MARMALADE, Hunter's
horn style pure orange, 4 oz. glass jar 47

JAM, Logansberry, no
nectar, 4 lb tin 59

SALAD DRESSING, Best
Food Mayonnaise, 8 oz. jar 27

HONEY, pure clover, new
season's crop, 5 lb tin 65c

2 1/2 lb 37

CORN FLOUR, Brown &
Olson's, flavored, something
new, delicious for dessert per pkt. 20

RICE, No. 1 Japan, 3 lb. 23

SHRIMPES, wet pack,
per the 21

TEA, market has advanced
and we are protected. A.G.

Economy Tea is good buy-
ing, per lb 39c; 3 lbs. 1.15

COFFEE, our Prairie Blend,
freshly ground or in bean
is real value, per lb. 25

CEREAL SPECIAL, 1 pt.
Bran Flakes, 1 pt. Grape
Nut Flakes, 1 pt. Corn
Flakes, 1 pt. Shredded
Wheat, all for 47

TOILET SOAP, Many
Flowers, best value in toilet
soap today, per doz.85

LAUNDRY SOAP, P & G
White Naphtha, 11 bars .49

Harvest Specials in Crockery

CUPS and SAUCERS,
Plain White Cups with Saucers

Cups only 85c

Clover Leaf Cups with Saucers

Cups only 85c

TUMBLERS, heavy glass for service

week.

Apricots, Cherries, Raspberries and Loganberries practically finished.

Field Tomatoes arriving daily and quality is good.

Pickling Cucumbers, Peppers, Silver Skin Onions, are now ready.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY

McKEE'S STORES

"Always at Your Service"

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